

## **SPECIAL MEETING**

### **CRANSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2005**

**WILLIAM A. BRIGGS BUILDING**

**845 PARK AVENUE**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION: 4:30 P.M.**

**PUBLIC SESSION: IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

## **AGENDA**

**4:30 p.m. – Call to order and convene to Executive Session pursuant to RI State Law PL 42-46-5(1) Personnel and PL 42-46-5(2) Contract and Litigation.**

**Public Session – immediately following**

### **I. SPEAKERS – Agenda Items**

### **II. RESOLUTIONS**

#### **ADMINISTRATION**

**NO. 05-9-1 – RESOLVED, that the agreement between the Cranston School Committee and the Rhode Island Laborers' District Council, Local Union 1322 of the Laborers' International Union of North America AFL-CIO, as recommended by the Superintendent, be approved.**

## **PERSONNEL**

**NO. 05-9-2 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following certified personnel be appointed for the 2005-2006 school year:**

**Andrea Geremia, salary to be at the second step plus Masters of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – University of Rhode Island, BA; Rhode Island College, MAT**

**Experience – Central Falls School Department**

**Certification – Elementary/Middle Special Education**

**Assignment – Itinerant, Resource, 1.0 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: .5 FTE 11732012 512100 / .5 FTE 11932012 512100**

**Holly Gray, salary to be at the second step of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – Rhode Island College, BS**

**Experience – Cranston Public Schools' Substitute**

**Certification – Elementary/Middle Special Education**

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**Assignment – Orchard Farms School, Special Education, 1.0 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 13632031 512100**

**Kristin Benjamin, salary to be at the eighth step plus Masters of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – Emerson College, BS and MS**

**Experience – Hasbro Hospital**

**Certification – Speech Pathologist**

**Assignment – Itinerant, Speech Pathologist, .6 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 14732010 512100**

**Nancy Thompson, salary to be at the tenth step plus Bachelors plus 36**

**Education – University of Rhode Island, BS**

**Experience – Cranston Public Schools' Substitute**

**Certification – Nurse-Teacher**

**Assignment – Itinerant, Nurse-Teacher, 1.0 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 12, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 15146313 513100**

**Loriann Santopietro, salary to be at the first step of the prevailing**

**salary schedule**

**Education – Assumption College, BA**

**Experience – Student Teacher**

**Certification – Family & Consumer Science**

**Assignment – Western Hills Middle School, Family & Consumer Science,**

**1.0 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 12911012 512100**

**Stephanie Martin, salary to be at the 7th step of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – Boston University, BS**

**Experience – West Bay Collaborative**

**Certification – Occupational Therapist License**

**Assignment – Itinerant, Occupational Therapist, .6 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 14732010 511440**

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**Hanna Gallo, salary to be at the ninth step plus Masters of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – University of Rhode Island, BS and MS**

**Experience – South Kingstown School Department**

**Certification – Speech/Language Pathologist**

**Assignment – Itinerant, Speech/Language, 1.0 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 14732021 512100**

**Katharine Anderson, salary to be at the first step of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – University of Rhode Island, BA**

**Experience – Cranston Public Schools' Substitute**

**Certification – Secondary English**

**Assignment – Cranston High School East, English, 1.0 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 11311012 512100**

**Susan Hook, salary to be at the tenth step plus Masters of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education – Southwestern University, BS; University of New Hampshire, MS**

**Experience – Danvers, Massachusetts School Department**

**Certification – Guidance, K-12**

**Assignment – Itinerant, Guidance, .8 FTE**

**Effective Date – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: .4 FTE 11736213 513600 / .4 FTE 10836213 513600**

**Catherine DiSegna, salary to be at the tenth step plus Bachelors plus 36**

**Education – University of Rhode Island, BA**

**Experience – Cranston Public Schools Retired**

**Certification – Secondary/Middle English**

**Assignment – Western Hills Middle School, .3 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 6, 2005**

**Authorization – New**

**Fiscal Note: 12911012 512100**

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**NO. 05-9-3 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following non-certified employees be appointed:**

**Margaret Tenchara, Phlebotomy Instructor**

**Alternate Education Program**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 26, 2005**

**Helen Reardon, Dental Instructor**

**Alternate Education Program**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 26, 2005**

**Fiscal Note: 51362142 512100**

**Denise Perrotti, Phlebotomy Instructor**

**Alternate Education Program**

**Effective Date of Employment – September 26, 2005**

**Fiscal Note: 51362142 512100**

**Armand Brochu, 4 Hour Custodian**

**Plant**

**Effective Date of Employment – August 29, 2005**

**Fiscal Note: 11747481 518200**

## **BUSINESS**

**NO. 05-9-4- RESOLVED, that the following purchases be approved:**

**Art Supplies in the amount of \$45,897.89**

**Number of bids issued 43**

**Number of bids received 22**

**Maps and Globes in the amount of \$2,045.64**

**Number of bids issued 11**

**Number of bids received 6**

**Library Supplies in the amount of \$2,122.53**

**Number of bids issued 7**

**Number of bids received 5**

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**Photocopier Maintenance from the period from September 1, 2005 to August 31, 2006 in the amount of \$76,797.90.**

**Number of bids issued 6**

**Number of bids received 4**

**Rigging System for the stage curtains at Cranston West in the amount of \$36,701 to include an additional 20 battens.**

**Number of bids issued 15**

**Number of bids received 1**

**Fire Doors in the amount of \$49,500**

**Number of bids issued 16**

**Number of bids received 2**



**NO. 05-9-5 - RESOLVED, that the following purchases be approved  
(funding School Food Service)**

**Bread in the amount of \$81,222**

**Milk in the amount of \$202,442**

**Cafeteria supplies in the amount of \$104,330.30**

**Chemicals in the amount of \$1,023.25**

**These items are to be purchased in conjunction with a bid done by  
City Purchasing for Food Service Supplies for the Cranston Senior  
Center.**

## **TABLED RESOLUTIONS**

**NO. 05-8-3 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the  
Superintendent, the appointment of Assistant Principal for Special  
Services, Cranston High School East, be approved.**

**NO. 05-8-4 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the  
Superintendent, the appointment of Assistant Principal for Special  
Services, Cranston High School West, be approved.**

**School Committee members who are unable to attend this meeting  
are asked to notify the Chairman in advance.**

**Notice Posted: August 29, 2005**